

PATENT APPLICATION
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In re application of

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For: NOVEL POLYPEPTIDES, DNAS ENCODING THE SAME AND USE THEREOF

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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